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DIVISIONALCONTINUATION-IN-PART-application-under	
X 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d), of pending prior applicati	ion
Serial No. 10/188,434 filed on July 3, 2002	of
Mohammad R. Marzabadi, John Wetzel, John E. DeLeon, Yu Jiang, Chien-An Chen, and for	
Inventor(s) Kai Lu	
Substituted Anilinic Piperidines as MCH Selective Antagonists Title of Invention 1. X Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, as originally	· ———
filed and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy.	
 λ verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and 1.27 	÷
is enclosed.	
was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired (37 C.F.R. §1.28(a)).	
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filing an application pursuant to this section expressly abandons the parent application.

U.S. Serial No.: Not Yet Known Filed: Herewith Cont.Div. Page 2 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.D3-3125 X Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17. The issue fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.311(b). 5. Three copies of this sheet are enclosed. A check in the amount of $$^{1,132.00}$ is enclosed. Cancel claims 7. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: -- This is a ___continuation ___division of application Serial No. , filed Sheet(s) of ____informal ____formal drawing(s) is/are enclosed. 9. Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file. Priority of application No. filed on in _ (country) is claimed under 37 U.S.C. §119. The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in prior application Serial No. ____, filed _____. The prior application is assigned of record to Synpatic Pharmaceutical Corporation

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A preliminary amendment is enclosed. and Information Disclosure Statement, including Exhibit A (PTO-1449), Exhibit 1 (one reference) The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

U.S. Serial No.: Not Yet Known Filed: Herewith Cont/Div./FWC Page 3 The power appears in the original papers in the prior application. Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed. (c) Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record.) John P. White Cooper & Dunham LLP 1185 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10036 Also enclosed Express Mail Certificate of Mailing No. dated November 21, 2003 EV 325 703 122 US I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy Х of prior application Serial No. 10/188,434 as originally filed on July 3, 2002 The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statement and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon. November 21; 2003 Date Signature John P. White, Reg. No. 28,678 INVENTOR (S) ASSIGNEE OF COMPLETE INTEREST ATTORNEY OR AGENT OF RECORD FILED UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.34(a) Address of Signator: Cooper & Dunham LLP 1185 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10036

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